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"He's true to God who's true to man;  
Wherever wrong is done  
To the humblest and the weakest  
Neath the all-beholding sun,  
That wrong is also done to us,  
And they are slaves most base,  
Whose love of right is for themselves,  
And not for all the race."

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In the June number of *La Gazette des Sourds-Muets*, of Paris, France, the editor, M. Gaillard goes into details of a convention of the deaf in Madrid, Spain, at which the principal event was the unveiling of a Statue of Pedro Ponce, who taught deaf-mutes prior to his death, which occurred in 1584, nearly two hundred years before the Abbe de l'Epee initiated the education of deaf-mutes in France.

Indeed, in addition to the imperishable fame of discovering America, Spain may be said to have discovered the education of the deaf, for it was in 1620 that another Spanish Monk, Juan Pablo Bonet, wrote the first book on the education of the deaf, which included the manual alphabet that was copied and somewhat modified and used by the Abbe de l'Epee, and later became the single-handed alphabet now used in America. So Spain can claim the first educator of the deaf and the first author of a book on the education of the deaf.

The statue was made possible by the kindness of Don Manuel Iglesias, the celebrated deaf sculptor of Spain. It was erected on the *Parc de Retiro*, one of the finest streets of Madrid, on May 15th, and its unveiling occurred in the morning of that day at 10:30.

The presentation speech was made by M. Francisco Garcia Molinas, a hearing gentleman. The Infanta Isabella was present, who spoke briefly. Speeches were made by Mr. Henri Gaillard, of France; Mr. Robert Dresse, of Liege, Belgium; M. G. E. Prestine, who as delegate from Italy placed a superb wreath at the foot of the statue.

The deaf delegates to participate in the unveiling were M. Henri Gaillard, M. Eugene Graff, who officially represented the deaf of France, and about five others who attended. They were met by M. Raymond de Zubizarre and his brother, Valentine, J. B. de Ibarondo, F. Croard, and several others, who conducted them to their hotel and later to the deaf-mute club, where they expressed regret that M. Dusizeau and M. Emile Mercier, their cherished friends and deaf celebrities of France, had passed away.

Among the speakers was His Excellency M. Callejo, Minister of Public Instruction, whose remarks were interpreted by M. Gronell, former director of the school for the deaf at Madrid.

The Infanta Isabella and the Duke of Albe represented the government at the ceremonies, but much disappointment was felt at the absence of the deaf prince Don Jaime de Bourbon.

Thus was paid a belated and deserved tribute to one whose altruism and philanthropy shall forever redound to the honor and glory of Spain.

## CHICAGO.

List and listen, Miss and master,  
Some infernal Fate has cast 'er  
Evil curse upon our old loop club, alas!  
Dire death and dread disaster  
Follows fast and follows faster  
With the pallid purple Phantom of the "Pas."

The Phantom of the Pas still stalks! Dire Disaster Dodges Doomed Deafdom! Rise, Freeman, dive for Freedom! (Oh, what a chance for big Hearst scare-heads over this story; but Editor Hodgson won't stand for sensationalism and yellow journalism just to boost his circulation.) But listen my children, and you shall hear of the midnight jump of our Paulette Revère. 'Twas a dark and stormy night. Livid lightning rent the shuddering heavens outside the Pas-a-Pas Club. Inside were good old Frank Johnson—who lovingly cares for the Pas clubrooms, his hobby—and Mrs. Henry Freeman, who had served as chairman of the bunc and "500" party that night. They hustled about, putting away the cards and tables. The task done, deeply absorbed with his thoughts, Frank donned his new straw hat and departed, locking the door. Mrs. Freeman turned around, found herself alone, and ran to the door—horror, she was a prisoner. Stamps and shouts brought no rescue. (We deaf are a noisy bunch, anyway.) "Necessity is the mother of invention," Mrs. Freeman smashed the glass, grabbed her wraps, and did a nose dive through the broken glass—alighting on her nose. For truth is stranger than fiction. Aside from a few bruises, and cuts from broken glass, she was fit as a fiddle. (What she said to Frank the next time they met is not for publication this is a family newspaper.)

IMPORTANT NOTICE TO NADS—Buy a special round trip ticket to Philadelphia or New York, when going to the National Association of the Deaf Convention in Washington, August 9th to 14th!

As the N. A. D. committeeman in charge of the Special NAD Train over the Pennsylvania Railroad, I earnestly recommend a change in the previous plan. Instead of buying a one way ticket to Washington for \$27.78, and getting a Certificate, get a round trip ticket. Most of the silents I have interviewed tell me they are going to play safe and buy a \$44.20 round trip ticket to Philadelphia and they want to see the Philadelphia exposition anyway. They feel that we may not be able to get 250 certificates, and if we are not, then they will have to buy a return ticket at full fare, making the trip cost them \$55.56.

If they get half fare returning, it would cost \$41.67. That is only a little less than the special ticket, which includes a trip to Philadelphia. So don't risk it; take my advice and purchase a special Pennsylvania Railroad round trip excursion to Philadelphia, VIA WASHINGTON. (No certificates are not issued with round trip tickets.) If you buy a one-way ticket in spite of my advice, then do demand a certificate, and give it to me on the train, or to Alex Pach in Washington. If you want to see New York and Philadelphia both, the special fare via Washington and Baltimore is \$50.68, with stop overs. This is truly a wonderful bargain, and the N. A. D. executive committee happened by sheer luck to hit on the ideal city for our 1926 convention, at an ideal time. Sheer luck!

William Schaub, 5917 Highland Avenue, St. Louis, will run a special Pullman with deaf passengers, leaving St. Louis at 4, the afternoon of August 7th. The Columbus correspondent of the JOURNAL states nearly a dozen silents will board the car at Columbus, at 4 A.M.

The Chicago crowd, we have already listed nearly two full Pullman loads, will leave here at 8:15 Saturday night, August 7th (8:15 by Chicago daylight-saving time) over the Pennsylvania, from the new Union Station.

Chicago and St. Louis cars will be coupled together at Pittsburgh, a few coaches and diners added, and will probably proceed from Pittsburgh as a special train, immediately behind the regular No. 154-54, and on the same schedule. WARNING—In case plans miscarry, and our cars are not run as a special section by ourselves, prospective passengers intending to board the train at Pennsylvania points are warned to watch for the first section. If you see printed signs in some of the Pullman windows, "N. A. D. Special," then climb aboard.

It is expected some 400 silents will be on the train, when we reach Washington at 7:05 Sunday night, with enough daylight left to hunt hotels. To be sure of quarters, better write or wire to Frederick Hughes, Gallaudet College, Kendall Green, Washington, D. C., for reservations, telling him how much you can afford, and how long you will remain. Rooms in private families for \$5 to \$10 per week; hotel rooms for \$1.50 to \$7 per night.

An estimate of the cost of the trip follows:

Round trip	\$44.20
Pullmans—upper \$6.60, or lower 8.80	
(Add this again for return trip)	
Hotel in Washington, about	18.00
Meals, carfares, etc., about	20.00
Total Washington expenses	\$91.00

Certainly not more than the average silent spends on an average vacation. To this add Pullman fare returning, and whatever you intend to spend in Philadelphia and New York.

Better secure Pullman reservations at once, from W. E. Blachley, Div. Pass. Agt., 524 Union Station, Chicago; or from the Chicago ticket office at 161 West Jackson Blvd.

Are you coming? If not, why not?

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD, AUGUST 7 and 8, 1926.

SCHAU'S SPECIAL (Pullmans only)  
Lv. St. Louis (No. 154) Sat. 4:00 P.M.  
Lv. Terre Haute Sat. 8:11 P.M.  
Lv. Indianapolis Sat. 10:02 P.M.  
Lv. Columbus Sun. 4:00 A.M.  
Ar. Pittsburgh Sun. 9:00 A.M.

ROBERTS RATTLE (Pullmans only)  
Lv. Chicago (No. 54) Sat. 8:15 P.M.  
Lv. Ft. Wayne Sat. 11:38 P.M.  
Lv. Alliance Sun. 6:31 A.M.  
Ar. Pittsburgh Sun. 9:00 A.M.

NAD SPECIAL (Pullmans and coaches)  
Lv. Pittsburgh (No. 154, 54—second section) Sun. 9:25 A.M.  
Lv. Altoona Sun. 12:17 P.M.  
Ar. Harrisburg Sun. 3:00 P.M.  
Lv. Harrisburg Sun. 3:50 P.M.  
Lv. York Sun. 4:28 P.M.  
Lv. Baltimore Sun. 6:08 P.M.  
Ar. Washington Sun. 7:05 P.M.

The George P. Rileys, of Victoria, B. C., stopped over a few hours between trains, on the 12th, en route home from Akron. Original plans for the stop-over of a few days here were cancelled, owing to a Fourth of July accident. Their little daughter was waving a roman candle, when it exploded, severely burning her arm. Anti-lockjaw toxin was injected in her spine, which rendered her unable to travel for several days. The Rileys express themselves quite charmed by the silent colony of Akron, and by the joint picnic of Northern Ohio folks at Springfield Lake, on the 10th, which was attended by 350 silents. Riley is a post office clerk in Victoria, while his wife is a Gallaudet graduate, class of '16.

William Evison has branched out in business for himself, in the rear of his home at 7640 Morgan Street, repairing and painting auto bodies, fenders and chassis. He also installs seat covers and glass enclosures, and has more work than he can handle. While many a deaf man makes good in business for himself in the small towns, where he has a circle of friends to depend on, instances of success in the huge metropolitan centers are rare. Evison started the experiment last March, and will soon have to enlarge his quarters.

The Home for Aged Deaf has installed a fine bathroom on the third floor, the \$300 worth of equipment being the gift of the Wilt Plumbing Supply Co., Wilt being a friend of chairman Milton Hart. The work and materials, costing \$300, were defrayed by various donations, while Gus Hyman himself saved the Home considerable by doing most of the preparatory taping up.

Chairman Hart recently took the Home residents out on a long Sunday auto ride. The 13th annual picnic of the Silent A. C., at Niles Center, Sunday, the 11th, was not up to last year's affair in point of attendance, which leads one to infer the deaf prefer a new location every year. The brand of Volstead cheer procurable around the corner was better than last summer, consequently not so many taxi hills had to be defrayed by the celebrants.

The Isadore Newmans are summering in their cottage on the Indiana sand dunes, where there is popular rendezvous of week-enders every week. The Miller and Padden families are spending a couple of weeks with the Newmans, where the kiddies revel in the shining sands, sparkling waters, and smokeless air.

Francis P. Gibson says nineteenth convention of the Ontario Association, held in Windsor early in July, was a humdinger. The Toronto and Detroit divisions united to present an entertainment, and the program—printed in red, blue and gold on coated stock—bears out his statement. John Shilton, of Toronto, and Gibson, himself, were the principal speakers, while ten vaudeville numbers entertained the three hundred and fifty spectators. Elmer Priester and Art Hinch—former Chicagoans—had prominent parts. "It was a live bunch," says Gib, "A class of eighteen were 'goated'—and goated good."

The M. E. flock gave a basket picnic in Jackson Park on the 10th. It was a fizzle. Overcoats were in demand.

The Chicago chapter of the I. A. D. held a meeting at the Pas-a-Pas Club on the 13th.

Mrs. Max Blackschlager and children, of St. Louis, are summering with the Fredo Hyman in the Hyman cottage at Cedar Lake, Ind., 35 miles from Chicago.

Mrs. Eva W. Carlson is summering in Texas.

William Savles, of Racine, Wis., is said to be the only deaf man

working as extra on the Banker's Directory at Rand McNally's this summer.

Dates ahead: July 31st—Pas, "lit." August 7th—"Nad Special" leaves over the Pennsylvania at 9:15, Chicago time, for the N. A. D. Convention in Washington. (Are you going? If not, why not?) 15—Annual picnic of Div. No. 1, Niles Center.

THE MEAGHERS.

## PITTSBURGH.

The P. S. A. D. local branch had its quarterly business meeting, Saturday evening, July 10th. The big thing of the meeting was the treasurer's report, which brought out the pleasing information that their was a balance of \$277 on hand. The case of Lindley Beatty, an old deaf man, aged seventy, who is unable to make the wherewithal to keep body and soul together, was discussed. It was decided to put the matter of having him admitted to the Home up to the Board of Managers. Mr. Beatty is entirely dependent on relatives, who have promised to pay his board in the home, if the terms are not more than they can meet. A recess of fifteen minutes was given the Ways and Means committee, to arrange future events, which was announced as follows: Reports of Convention and Story telling—September 18th; Donation Day and Rag Social—October 9th; Bazaar—November 13th. Mr. Henry Bardes and Mrs. Chas. Reed are to have charge of the October event, while Mrs. F. A. Leitner assisted by Messrs. Dunn and Zelch will tend to the bazaar.

With the convention at Mt. Airy approaching, not much other business was transacted. President Rogalsky is now at work on his speech to be delivered at the convention. It is not yet known how many will be representing this neck of the woods at the convention, but twenty seems a safe guess.

Fred Farke had his vacation, July 4th-9th, the major part of which he spent at Philadelphia, visiting friends and the Torresdale Home. At the above meeting he gave an account of the visit to the Home, whose furniture in the dining-room he found needed repairs, and that they were getting short of dishes. The Pittsburgh deaf, as is known, take care of this room. Interested parties may be assured this condition will be remedied after the convention.

After the meeting at 1 A.M., Fred Connor, Sam Rogalsky, Elmer Havens and John Friend left town for a trip to Akron, in Connor's new overland, and also took night ride back, reaching home at dawn the following Monday.

The P. S. A. D. lawn-fete, on the William Becker home ground, Sheridanville, June 26th, was a good success in spite of inclement weather, which kept many away. Threatening skies all day with intermittent rains caused the committee in charge much concern, but at five o'clock the skies began to clear, bringing much to hope for. The crowd was half deaf and half hearing. Noses were not counted, but it was a sizable crowd, leaving little elbow room on the spacious lawn. The sale of ice-cream, pop, hot dogs, coffee, etc., brought a profit of a little over \$40. But for the weather, it is believed more than double that amount would have been realized.

The latest of the locals to join the Torresdale Boosters Club are Harold Smith and Martin Allen, who have pledged \$25 each. Give Mr. Rogalsky credit for securing these pledges.

Mr. Fred Bloom and Miss Margaret Kientz were married July 2d. Wilfred Souder, of Washington, D. C., stopped in town July 3d, on his way home from Chicago, where he attended the thirty-eighth annual Moose Convention. He dropped in at the frat meeting. The business meeting being postponed on account of lack of quorum present, he was called upon to give all the information concerning the coming N. A. D. Convention.

The W. J. Gibsons and Miss Sarah McDewitt returned, July 18th, from two weeks' camping in Beaver County.

Misses Marion and Alice, daughters of Dr. and Mrs. Olaf Hanson, of Seattle, are in Pittsburgh visiting relatives. At present they are staying with their aunt, Mrs. Edward Werling, next door to yours truly. They plan to remain till September and return by boat from New York via the Panama Canal. They are expecting their dad here after the N. A. D. Convention.

Mrs. A. R. Casey, a teacher of the West Virginia School, spent three weeks with the Hollidays, leaving for Indianapolis, June 29th. No sooner had she left than another teacher, Miss May Dougherty, of the Hartford School, arrived. However, more pleasure in the visit was found in the company of some one else, which was only natural. From Pittsburgh she went to Akron for a visit with friends, then to Indiana to spend a month with the Otis Yoders.

FRANCIS M. HOLLIDAY.

## OHIO.

News items for this column may be sent to our Ohio News Bureau, care of Mr. A. B. Greener, 993 Franklin Ave., Columbus, Ohio.

July 24 We are very glad to report that Miss Mary L. Boalt is still among the living, though several weeks ago, we were informed that a Toledo paper stated she had been run down by a train and killed. It was another person by the name of Boltz, likewise deaf, that was the victim of the train.

Correspondence with the Superintendent of the Toledo State Hospital on the matter brought among other things this, the question having been asked if the lady was still in the institution and when first admitted.

"Mary L. Boalt is now in the hospital and enjoying very good physical health. She has been here since September 28th, 1894. She is entirely deaf. She is in one of our best cottages and helps with the work in the sewing room. Her mind appears to be quite clear and she is a very nice patient."

Friends of hers will be glad to hear the above. Many have supposed she was placed there wrongly. We do not know if she has any near kin now. When we saw and talked with her last April for about ten minutes, she appeared perfectly rational and even expressed a desire to be admitted to the Ohio Home for the Deaf.

Columbus will be well represented at the National Convention of the Deaf at Washington, D. C. Present indications are that there will be over a dozen.

A card to the writer from Mr. Robert Miller, of North Carolina, had him leaving San Francisco bound for Seattle and Alaska with a party and that he would not attend the Washington Convention. He attended the oral teachers' meeting at San Francisco, which had an attendance of 125 six being deaf teachers.

Miss Oleta Brothers, of Cincinnati, a senior in Gallaudet College, came up from Cincinnati Sunday, and is visiting an aunt in the city.

Mrs. John W. Jones, her daughter Carrie, with her son-in-law and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Spencer, are visiting down in North Carolina. Meanwhile Superintendent Jones is kept busy at home, looking after the various details about the institution. The children's dining room walls are being retouched with a buff color of paint, and the walls in the interior of the buildings are receiving cleaning and painting, where needed. There are usual repairs being made, where needed.

It has been hot here the past week, the mercury being up and down in the nineties, reaching 98 degrees at the highest.

A. B. G.

### MICHIGAN SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF, FLINT.

July 24, 1926.

EDITOR DEAF-MUTES' JOURNAL:—In the issue of the JOURNAL of May 20th, an article appeared from Detroit signed by Mr. F. E. Ryan. In correspondence with the officers of the Detroit Chapter of the N. A. D., and with Mr. Ryan himself and the persons named in the article and in these letters, I would like to make the following statement: In the first place, Mr. George Tripp, instructor at this school, repudiates completely in a written statement saying anything as attributed to him in this article. He states that nothing of that nature came up, in either a public or private conversation; and at a meeting with the deaf teachers of the school at the present time they reported that neither were there any cases of ill-treatment or cruelty with the children under the present management, nor had any rumors to that effect come to them. The secretary of the Detroit Chapter of the N. A. D., reports that this article "is both premature and incorrect."

The only matter that has come to the attention of these people, is the speaking of a boy by one of the older boys for nasty conduct on the part of the younger child. In a signed statement made to me by the older boy himself, the boys' supervisor and nurse, it was made very clear that there was neither cruelty nor ill-treatment in this case.

The children of this school are treated with the utmost kindness and courtesy. Any attempt made to draw this institution into the factional political fights going on at the present time in the State is disreputable, and the members of the Detroit Chapter should be the last to have any hand in such an affair. In a letter from Mr. Ryan, he admits that he was not at this meeting which he reports.

The institution has been improved by the addition of new buildings, the cleaning up, repairing, and renewing of the old buildings, increased appropriation for all the different items of the budget, and increase in attendance and teachers of approximately twenty per cent in four years. The raising of the standards of the school work is such that the persons taking the entrance examinations for Gallaudet College are able to pass on completion of our twelfth grade, and four applicants for entrance this year passed the examination.

It might be well if the people interested knew that the highest salaries paid to men and women teachers of this institution are to the deaf teachers, both shops and in academic work. There has been no attempt to decrease the number of deaf teachers, our manual department being maintained on as high a standard as the oral department. It might be well to know that the plans for the future improvement of the school calls for a still larger outlay in all these lines, than has been carried on in the past few years, such that we hope that the Michigan School for the Deaf will be on a par with the best institutions of this kind in the United States.

Very truly yours,

ISAAC B. GILBERT,

Superintendent.

FRANCIS M. HOLLIDAY.

## Portland, Oregon.

Mr. and Mrs. Fisher, Mrs. Ruby Spieler and Mrs. E. Gerde have left for the apple harvest in the Yakima Valley; also Mr. Lines has bought a used Star car to drive to the above named country to work till fall.

The S. F. L. Picnic, which was given Saturday afternoon and night, was attended by nearly one hundred deaf. Eats were plentiful. Many from out-of-town were there: Mr. and Mrs. John Skogland, of Spokane; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. J. Hoffman, of Terre Bella, Cal., and others, whose names the writer did not get. In the evening about thirty-five of the picnickers called at the home of Mrs. Glutch, who lives near the Laurelhurst Park, where the picnic was held. There the deaf met Mrs. Metcalf and spent the evening, chatting, singing and telling stories until 11 P.M. Mrs. Glutch's home is a large house.

Thus ended one of the Frat banquets in Portland. Committee who were responsible for the good time were H. P. Nelson (Chairman), Chas. Lynch, B. L. Craven, J. O. Reichle, Chas. Lawrence, Frank Thayer, Wm. W. Redman and Maurice Werner.

The Portland deaf, who spent the week-end of July 3d, 4th, and 5th, at different beaches, were C. H. Linde and family, W. Thierman and family, the Nelsons, J. O. Reichle and family, Mrs. M. Bemrick, Harold Darling, Wm. Fleming and others.

Mr. Coates, of San Francisco, is now a Portlander, as his wife is here and Mr. C. transferred from S. F. Division to the Portland Division, No. 41. He has a good steady job as a carpenter in which he is an expert. Welcome Mr. and Mrs. Coates to the beautiful Rose City.

### SPECIAL NOTICE.

Special notice of the Big Joint Picnic to be held on Saturday and Sunday, July 31st and August 1st, under the auspices of Portland Division, No. 41, and the Seattle Division, No. 44, N. F. S. D., on the midway between Seattle and Portland, at Borst Park. This park is on the Pacific Highway, just one mile north of Centralia, Wash.

Now all deaf, whether Frats or not, who happen to be touring this way during the two "Big Days," are welcome. There is plenty of camp ground for autos and campers. Auto Camp with beds, tables, and cooking plates, but any one wishing hotel accommodation, can have it from \$1 and up.

Don't miss this if you are near enough to get there. There will be all kinds of contests, racing and quilts with horseshoes, and remember a horseshoe and a Frat button always brings good luck.

Saturday night dancing and card playing. Baseball games between Portland and Seattle. Remember Chairman Courtland Greenwald and his committee, as well as the Seattle Committee, have arranged for the biggest time ever had by these two States, Oregon and Washington.

Remember, if in the Northwest, head for Centralia, Wash., and bring along a load of sunshine and good cheer, so that the woods will ring out the Frat cheer.

H. P. N.

July 13, 1926.

### WHAT ABOUT THE OLIGARCHY?

UNION, S. C., July 14, 1926.

DEAR MR. EDITOR:—There have been some discussions about proxy voting, but as a matter of fact, it is wandering away from the point, or the real object of the original motion that was offered by Rev. Freeman of Atlanta, Ga. If anybody is to judge by the present discussion, he would think Mr. Freeman, and other advocates, are opposed to voting by proxy. This is wrong in fact, altogether wrong. We are as much in favor of proxy voting as Mr. Howard and others are. What we want is to amend the law, so as to limit the proxy holder to a certain number of proxies. The reasons are obvious.

Voting by proxy will prevent sectional control, but what about the oligarchy? The former is not as bad as the latter, because we do not meet at one place more than once, unless in a long time, while an oligarchy can easily dominate our association, even for years and years.

Mr. Howard claimed that proxy voting prevented the sectional control at Atlanta. Had he been there in person, he would add that our last convention was under entire control of few but large proxy holders and their friends, much to their own content and satisfaction.

Our association is national, hence whatever it does, or is controlled, should be satisfactory to all parties from all sections of the United States, if possible, or if otherwise, to the majority and not to the few from one section or two.

Our present law of proxy voting is loose and without any restriction or safeguard. It can easily be abused. You said "it could be improved upon and strengthened." This is exactly what we are fighting for.

We should do something to safeguard the value and the good of proxy voting, especially to prevent oligarchy as they did the sectional control.

HERBERT R. SMOAK.

## FANWOOD.

A new wall is being constructed along the western side of Riverside Drive from 162d Street, as far north as 165th Street, which just faces the grounds of the Institution.

The wall is being built as part of the improvements in the lower or downtown section of Riverside Drive.

This wall will connect with the wall now standing, which runs from 158th Street to 162d Street. The new wall will harmonize with the old wall and will be one of the safest, as well as one of the most artistic pieces of fencing on Washington Heights. It will be over two feet in thickness, and made of large stones and concrete. There will be a flat capstone of solid granite.

On almost any summer evening, the old wall is black with humanity, all out for a little fresh air after being pent up during the heat of the day in stuffy apartment houses or office buildings.

Thus, Washington Heights residents speculate, the new wall will be as welcome as the old sector of the Drive. They also note that the wall replaces an old wooden fence, which was so weak as to have been of practically no protection to motorists.

In view of the fact that the fence lined a steep embankment, and also that there is a sharp double curve in Riverside Drive along this sector, the new wall will eliminate a dangerous accident hazard.

The veteran W. G. Jones is summering at the Tavern, Graf-ton, Vt.

Mr. W. Nixon, a graduate of Fanwood, and his friend, Mr. Price, visited here on the 22d of July.

Robert Schneider, a pupil here, left for Philadelphia, Pa., last week.

William Schurman, a graduate of this year, called to see the boys here on the 23d. He has been in Bayonne, N. J., for nine days and returned on the 20th. His face is covered with tan and he looks healthy.

On the 24th of July, Miss Viola Schwing left for Poughkeepsie, N. Y., where she will stay for some weeks with Miss Stella Marshall, who resides there.

A baseball game is to be played between Margraf and Colonial teams next Sunday, on the ground at 114th Street and 1st Avenue, at about nine or ten o'clock in the morning.

The pupils who are practicing in running at MacComb's Dam Park and on the grounds here, are James Garrick, Frank Heintz, John Kostyk, Herbert Carroll, Richard Giordano, Pietro LaBarca, Allyn Manning, Frank Scofield, George Whiteman and others.

An enjoyable motoring trip to Cos Cob, Ct., was made by Mr. Albert Wheeler, a graduate of Fanwood, in his Studebaker sedan with James Garrick, a pupil here, Sunday last.

### CONGRATULATIONS!

The many friends and former associates of Mr. and Mrs. Duncan McLean, of Washington, D. C., but formerly of Philadelphia, desire to extend to them their most hearty congratulations and very best wishes for the health and happiness of the little daughter, born to them on April 28th last. Mr. and Mrs. McLean are Canadians by birth, but came to the United States, some years ago, and have lived in Philadelphia for several years. During their stay here they made many friends, as Mrs. McLean is of a very lively disposition and Mr. McLean has a good education. He is a printer by profession, and in April was offered a fine position in Washington, D. C. After due consideration and a trial of the job, he accepted it and moved his family to the Capitol City, where the little stranger was born. Like every other man with any pride in his work and ambition to advance, Mr. McLean put his own and his family's preference for good old Philadelphia aside. The couple have one other child, a boy of nine, who is an enthusiastic baseball fan, but who now avers that little sister, Margaret, beats Babe Ruth all hollow.

May she indeed grow up to be a comfort and a blessing to her proud and happy family.

GERTRUDE M. DOWNRY,  
PHILA., July, 1926.

Some men boast that they can't be fooled twice in the same way, but there are lots of other ways.

### RELIGIOUS NOTICE

Baptist Evangelist to the Deaf. Will answer all calls.

J. W. MICHAELS,  
Mountainburg,  
Star Route, Ark.



## NEW YORK.

On Saturday, July 24th, at about noon, the representative of the Lakewood-Lakehurst Development Company, which has an office beneath the rooms of the Deaf-Mutes' Union League, closed up his office, but forgot to shut off the electric fan on his desk. After one o'clock members of the Deaf-Mutes' Union League on passing the office of the company smelled smoke. Soon the smell came up to their rooms.

Nearly all the members rushed down, including Charles Mueller, the Custodian of the Club.

Luckily just then a colored maid, who always cleans the rooms of the company in the afternoon happened to arrive.

Charles Mueller asked for the keys, and in the nick of time too, cut off the wire which was quickly burning up the motor of the fan, and would in a short time have set fire, perhaps to the whole building.

Mr. Charles Mueller is to be complimented on his hasty action, which not only saved the building, which besides the Deaf-Mutes' Union League, is occupied by various firms, but also big sums to the Insurance Companies, who have insured the firms and the Deaf-Mutes' Union League for big sums. He should be rewarded for this.

The New York Mercantile Exchange held its annual outing and field day on Saturday, July 17th, at Duer's Park, Whitestone Landing, Long Island.

The New York Produce Review and American Creamery of the 21st says there was a big delegation of the members, which it terms as "The Big Butter and Egg men—Damn Poor, but Honest."

Among them were two of the silents, who are connected with the forsaed business, Messrs. Louis Hagen and Andrew McClay.

In the fat men sack race, Mr. Louis Hagen, who is in the employ of J. R. Kramer, won. The Review humorously says: "He is deaf and dumb, but certainly quick on his feet."

In the swimming race, another representative of the trade, who is deaf, Mr. Andrew McClay was first.

The field games, which were very interesting, were followed by a clambake, and Louis and Andrew, voted with other members to make the annual outing a permanent feature.

On Sunday July 12th, six autos, driven by their deaf owners in each instance, headed out from East Jersey points, for Great Cove Park, Lake Hopatcong, where the picnicers made a happy day of it, swimming, fishing, boating, etc. They were all provided with home prepared luncheons, so they did not lack for the good things for the inner man.

In the party were Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Hoppaugh, Emma Ward, Geo. Hummel, Joseph Harris, Copper Bylin, Harry Rowe, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Greiff, Andrew McClay, Albane Burns, Susan Chesar, Albert Neger, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Shaw, Anna Keightley, Nellie McGarvey.

Through one of the world's greatest jewelry concerns, orders have been given to execute magnificent rings for two of the Cardinals recently in America for the Eucharist Congress. These rings are to bear a most beautiful design that will embrace characteristics of the country visited and the country from which the cardinal hail and as usual, when a rare and difficult work of art in the precious metals is required, the commission goes to America's foremost artist in that line, Mr. William Lipgens, of New York.

Albert Ballin was run by a speeding automobile in Los Angeles recently, and taken to the General Hospital. His forehead was gashed and his legs bruised, but no bones were broken. He is now fully recovered, save that his noble brow bears a scar from his encounter with the Ford.

Mr. and Mrs. Solomon Buttenheim's baby daughter, Adele, took very sick on June 14th, and it was feared that an operation for mastoids was necessary, but on removing the child's adenoids and tonsils by an expert surgeon, this was avoided and with attention and care she is now on the road to good health.

After four months' waiting, on June 16th, Mr. Lyman H. Metzger, with other men, went back to work in the fur business, the strike terminated on that date. On July 22d, his wife and two children left for Bear Mountain, where they will spend the rest of the summer.

Mr. W. W. Thomas' son, Murray, is at Pine Tree Camp till August 31st, at Lake Schreón. He may be invited, with 450 campers, to make a visit on Cal's camp. Mr. Thomas' daughter, Margaret, has gone to Quebec with her aunt for ten days.

Miss Augusta Berley is spending her vacation in Walden, N. Y., where Mr. and Mrs. Eli Ellis reside. She will return home about before August 1st.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fosdick, of Danville, Ky., were in New York City on Monday, July 26th, and incidentally visited the Fanwood School.

William K. Stern, a deaf-mute, whose home was on King Street, New York, was drowned at Rockaway Beach, on Sunday, July 18th.

Mrs. Lawrence Timer left for Scranton, Pa., last week, to visit her parents. She is expected to return in a week or so.

Mr. and Mrs. Moses W. Loew announce the engagement of their daughter, Marjorie, to Mr. Edwin F. Vickerman.

The Misses Gallaudet expect to spend the month of August at the Cragmoor Inn, Cragmoor, Ulster Co., N. Y.

## PHILADELPHIA

Mrs. Jane Hackman (nee Huntzinger), wife of Cyrus O. Hackman, of Pine Grove, Pa., was in the city recently to have a minor operation performed at a hospital. We believe that she has returned home by this time.

John T. Reynolds, 4528 Paul Street, who is deaf and dumb, went job hunting yesterday. At home, a wife and three-years-old son were facing starvation.

In one hand he carried a note containing a pathetic plea for work. In the other was a pistol for use in case he failed.

But Fred Clark, of 4210 Aspen Street, foreman of subway construction at Broad and Arch Street, who had employed Reynolds until recently, misunderstood the pistol.

Reynolds was taken to Foot Traffic Station, 15th and Vine Streets, where police found the pistol was not loaded, but that there were a number of cartridges in the man's pocket. With pencil and paper he explained that he had contemplated suicide if he failed to get employment.

The above appeared in one of the daily papers a while ago. We are sorry for this young man's plight, but it was unlawful for him to carry a pistol in public. Let others take warning from his case.

We were told that Mr. Barton Sensenig, a teacher of the Mt. Airy School, helped four students, recently graduated, to obtain positions at the plant of the Electric Battery Company, C and Tioga Streets.

Mr. Sensenig is a valued friend and sincere teacher of the deaf. Having a brother who is a deaf-mute, he understands both the needs and delinquencies of the deaf, and the sympathetic help he freely extends them is both admirable and commendable. It is said that fourteen deaf men are now employed at the Battery plant.

Mrs. William Fries was a recent patient at the Stetson Hospital, where an operation was performed on her, report says.

Mr. and Mrs. Flenner, who have been living with the former's parents on a large farm near the city since their marriage, moved to the city about three weeks ago, when Mr. Flenner obtained a position. The removal to the city was wholly due to the desire of the couple to obtain their own livelihood.

A small party of deaf people picnicked on the grounds of All Souls' Parish House last Saturday, July 24th.

Mr. and Mrs. William L. Davis spent the week-end of July 24th at Atlantic City. Mr. Davis' long confinement at home, due to the street accident and injury to his head, made the change not only advisable, but also beneficial. While at the shore, Mr. and Mrs. Davis had the pleasure of meeting Mr. and Mrs. John P. Walker, on the boardwalk.

Rev. Warren M. Smaltz is expected back from his vacation at the end of this week.

A card received from Reverend and Mrs. Merrill states that they will stop in Philadelphia, from August 5th to 9th. No street address being given, we acknowledge the receipt of the card in this column.

Mr. and Mrs. William L. Salter, who have a large yard and garden back of their home in Wissinong, (N. E. Phila.) are pestered again with Japanese beetles. The couple live not far from the Delaware River and the bugs swam over from the Jersey side. They had the same trouble last year, except that, owing to continued cool weather this year the bugs mostly came after cherry time. Their cherry tree with its rich crop was thus saved from the ravishers, but they will not even spare the leaves.

The writer has not yet visited the Sesqui-Centennial Exposition and therefore can not speak about it from personal observation. According to the newspaper, it has a finished appearance now, whether so or not; but recent heavy rains have done havoc to the grounds, necessitating considerable duplicating.

It is probable that a large number of deaf people will visit the Exposition on Saturday, August 7th, between the meetings of the Deaf Clergy and the P. S. A. D.

## DETROIT.

Remember the N. F. S. D. picnic, September 4th. Particulars latter.

Mr. Fred McCarthy, our former D. A. D. president, spent his vacation in Buffalo, and attended the reunion of his *Alma Mater*.

Walter Carls, of Buffalo, drove up to Detroit in their new Ford roadster and renewed acquaintance with old friends. They were entertained one day by Mr. and Mrs. Ben. J. Beaver at their new home 14422 Marlowe Avenue. He also attended the Frat meeting, July 17th.

Rob Rollins and John Hostnick are Detroit's champion fishermen. The fish are big, and they land them by the dozens. Ask 'em for particulars.

So far as we know now, Mr. and Mrs. John Ulrich hold this year's record among the Detroit car owners for a long trip. They left Detroit June 11th, in their new Dodge Sedan, and drove to Winnipeg and Saskatchewan, visiting relatives and attending the convention at Winnipeg, June 17th to 21st.

They saw three wolves and hundreds of rabbits as they camped along. Having only one blow out or troubles, they returned to Detroit June 26th, tanned and happy and anxious to go again.

A pretty wedding was solemnized at the Methodist Episcopal Church at Stratford and Grand Boulevard, when Miss Jessie Cares and Mr. Sam Jekett spoke their vows. Mr. Jekett's sister was bridesmaid, and her brother assisted the groom. The bride looked very pretty in her white georgette and shower bouquet. About forty guests attended the ceremony and reception that followed.

After their honeymoon, at Rideau Rapids, Toronto, St. Thomas and Chatham, they took up their residence at 4077 Field Avenue, and started their new life right by sending in a year's subscription to the JOURNAL. Congratulations!

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pastori have returned from a ten-days' vacation at Gaylord, Mackinac Island, and other northern points.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Diren spent the Fourth of July at her home in Bay City.

We wish all landlords were like this one. Robert V. Jones just finished painting his home. He furnished the elbow grease, while the landlord donated the paint—not only his, but all in that block that he owned.

Mrs. Helen Troy, of Kalamazoo, was the guest of Mrs. May Howe during the O. A. D. convention.

Since Mr. Ryan has been forced to quit writing to the JOURNAL, due to his eye trouble (sympathy and regrets) I have taken up the pen, not that I love the job, but feel Detroit should keep its place in the JOURNAL. I will appreciate any items a postal card will bring me for a lone cent. It is impossible to write without news, without our aid Detroiters! It just can't be, did or done, so keep this number a let me see my mail carrier fill my box. Yours for a long well-filled Detroit column.

Mrs. WM. L. BEHRENDI.  
5945 Wayburn Avenue.

## Canadian Clippings

### TORONTO TIDINGS

Miss Pearl Hermon returned home on July 9th, from a pleasant ten days' holiday. She first went to the Windsor Convention and after a visit to Detroit and Ford City, she spent a few days with friends in London.

Mr. Hartley J. Head, of Picton, while on his way home from the Windsor Convention, spent a few days here taking in the sights of this city.

Sympathy goes out to Mr. Samuel Pugsley on the death, on July 1st, of a cousin, Mrs. Alfred Lamb, at Selkirk, Ont., aged 63. Cancer was the cause.

Miss Mabel Etherington, of Hamilton, has returned home after a two weeks' visit here with a married sister.

Friends to the number of about fifty gathered in the dining room of our new church on July 9th, and tendered Mrs. Clarence Pinder (nee Miss Lily Brown), an aluminum shower. She received many very beautiful and useful presents.

Glad to see Mr. Charles McLaren, of Raglan, in our midst. He has been visiting with his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. George J. Timpon, at Long Branch.

Mr. David Lawrence was delighted with a visit from his brother, of Buffalo, over Independence Day.

Miss Kathleen McVean, who is on the staff of the New Jersey School for the Deaf, stopped over at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bell on July 11th, and left next morning for her parental home in Walton for her summer vacation.

Mrs. Clarence Pinder, went over to Akron, Ohio, during the week-end of July 10th, to bring home her personal belongings, which she left behind, when she hurried to her sick mother's bedside here a few weeks ago, and later got married.

Was it not terrible when Mr. Patrick Fogarty, of this city, in a moment of uncontrollable nature, stole quietly into the bed rooms of his wife, his son, Cline, aged

twelve, his two daughters, Mary, aged ten, and Gertrude, aged eight, and to the little tot of his darling babe, Geraldine, aged five, and sent every one into eternity instantly with bullets through their brains and then ended his own existence in the same manner, on July 9th. Our friend, Mr. Thomas Hazelton, of Aurora, who is a cousin of the victims, was down to view their remains on July 11th.

How sudden are His calls. You cannot tell when He will call you home. Just on the eve of going to the Windsor Convention, Mr. Henry White was apprised of the sudden death of his eldest sister, Mrs. Egan Finnigan, who passed to the great beyond on Dominion Day, in her 63d year. She died of heart failure.

On his way home from the Windsor Convention, Mr. Alexander McLaren, of Brooklyn, N. Y., stopped over for a couple of days, meeting old friends here. He was accompanied by his life-long chum, Mr. Ecka, also of Brooklyn.

Mrs. Fred Perry, of Hamilton, was in this city on June 20th, to see her brother, Mr. Robert Ensminger, and then went out to see her parents at York Mills, returning to Hamilton the same evening. We are glad to say that her parents, who have been pretty ill, are out again.

Mrs. Sherman Fletcher and three children, of Montreal, arrived here on Dominion Day, for a month's visit to her mother, Mrs. Alice Wheeler, and sisters, the Misses Mabel and Freda Wheeler. Mrs. Fletcher is better known to the deaf as the ever-smiling Cherry Wheeler.

The Rev. Mr. Munro, of St. Alban's Church, was the officiating minister at our Communion Service, on July 11th, and gave a most inspiring sermon.

We were delighted to meet another young friend on July 11th, in the person of Mr. Stagner Shilson, of Silver Centre, who came here for a visit after attending the Windsor Convention and a visit to Detroit. He informed the writer that he finds the JOURNAL a real companion out in his northern home.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry E. Grooms and two children left on July 15th, on their three weeks' annual holidays, visiting relatives in Nanawee, Ont., and Alexandria Bay and Watertown, N. Y.

We regret to say that Miss Nellie Shepherd, sister of Mr. A. C. Shepherd, recently fell down a flight of steps and broke a bone in her right wrist.

Mr. Noah LaBelle, of Fort Qu'Appelle, Sask., spent a week with relatives and friends here, after attending the Windsor Convention. A number of her young friends gave Miss Flora Leecer a bridal shower, on July 13th, prior to her marriage, on July 16th, to Mr. Arthur Wilson, also of this city.

Mr. W. Wesley Scott returned home on July 6th, from his three weeks' annual holidays, which he and Mrs. Scott spent with relatives and friends, in Dunnville, Port Maitland, Welland, Bismarck, St. Catharines, Niagara Falls, Ontario, and Tonawanda, and La. Salle, N. Y. While away, Mr. Scott tried his wits with hook and line along the Chippewa and Grand Rivers, and was most successful in landing many a palatable dish. Wesley is a dyed in the wool angler. Mrs. Scott is still at her parental home in Wellandport, at time of writing.

Mr. Robert Ensminger has returned from a pleasant week's holiday, which he enjoyed visiting Niagara Falls, Buffalo, Rochester, and other points across the line.

We were pleased to receive a week's visit from Miss Edith Ballagh, of Whitley, who came up to visit relatives here. She is the deaf cousin of our old friend, Miss Winnie Ballagh of this city, who vanished from our midst over 25 years ago, and no one has seen or heard of her since, not even Edith herself.

### SARNIA SAYINGS.

Like many others at this time of the year, Mr. Gordon Henderson is temporarily laid off at the Goodison works, but expects to be called back any time. His father, Mr. Jontie Henderson, is not affected in this way.

Mrs. Culver Bowly, of Simcoe, has been a guest of her sister, Mrs. Jontie Henderson and her mother, Mrs. Leitch, during the past two weeks.

Mr. Thomas E. Bissell has returned from attending the Windsor Convention, where he had a good time, meeting many old acquaintances.

Mrs. Leitch, mother of Mrs. Jontie Henderson, has returned from a visit to her son in St. Clair, Mich., where she had a good time.

Miss Alice Lockie went over to Detroit, after the Windsor Convention, with a view of securing a situation, but was unsuccessful in her quest.

Mr. Harry E. Grooms, of Toronto, led our services here on July 11th, and gave a very interesting Biblical talk to an audience of fourteen, and among those present from outside the city were Mr. and Mrs. William Wark and Miss Jean Wark, of Wyoming, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Welch of Oil City, Miss Edith Squires of Petrolia and Miss Luella Simmons of Gorrie. The next meeting will be conducted by Mr. H. W. Roberts, of Toronto, on August 15th, who

will speak on "The Beacon Light that Never Dims."

### GENERAL GLEANINGS.

Mr. Carl Meagher and Miss Ella Edwards, both of Montreal, were united in the holy bonds of matrimony on June 17th.

While on her way home for a week's visit to her parents in Milton, Ont., Miss Kathleen McVean, of the Staff of the New Jersey School, at Trenton, N. J., stopped over and took in the reunion of the Buffalo Alumni, during the first week in July. Miss McVean also expects to attend the National Association of the Deaf Convention in Washington, early in August.

And still they fall in line. Mrs. Edward Ball, of Detroit, is another who has taken a fancy to the bobbed hair-craze.

Mrs. Minnie Upton and Mr. George Pussey, of Montreal, entered the charmed circle of the benedicts on July 14th. Both are well known among the deaf everywhere. Congratulations.

Miss Luella Simmons, of Gorrie, attended the Windsor Convention, and then spent over a week very pleasantly with her friend, Miss Jean Wark, in Wyoming.

VANCOUVER, B. C., July 9. — One of the happiest boys in Vancouver is Charlie Crane, aged 19, of the provincial school for the blind and deaf.

Although he cannot see or hear, the boy has completed the work prescribed for the eight years of public school and has been granted the entrance certificate. Next year when school opens he will be one of the first blind and deaf pupils in Canada doing high school work.

Left without sight or hearing when he was nine months old, Charlie had a hard struggle to establish communication with the outside world, but his persistence won through.

HERBERT W. ROBERTS.

## Akron, Ohio.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. G. Honrig-hauser, on Kryder Street, a baby-girl, on July 9th.

A baby-boy arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hughes, Pondview Street, June 25th.

A set of twin-girls was born at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Archer, of Ravenna, O., on June 24th. One of the babies lived only a short time, to the regret of their many friends. Mrs. Archer and the remaining baby are doing well, it is reported.

Not to be outdone, F. A. Andrews-jeski reported that a baby-girl weighing 6½ pounds had been born to his wife, who is down on a long visit with the relatives down in Mississippi. Mrs. Andrewsjeski and the newly arrived baby are doing well. The writer and wife had a pleasure of seeing them while on their vacation in Dixieland recently.

E. Hopkins motored down to Monroe, Tenn., in one of those beautiful warm weeks of June, and brought back a blushing southern bride, to the surprise and congratulations of many friends here.

Mrs. Mildred Gilbert departed from Akron last Saturday to join her husband in Evansville, Ind. Mr. Gilbert was formerly employed at the Goodyear Company as a chemist. He left a year ago to take up engraving instruction at the Effingham, Illinois, Engraving School, after which he secured a job in an Evansville engraving shop, and has made good.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Sawhill were in town Sunday, attending the C. A. F. picnic. Mrs. Sawhill stayed a few days longer, and went to Youngstown's picnic and from there she went home to Pittsburgh.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Faass have returned from a two-week vacation trip to New York State. They attended the big reunion at the Rochester School for the Deaf, and reported a grand time.

Mrs. Louis Houze, of Rochester, N. Y., is spending a week or two at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John N. Jacobson, on Watson Street. She reports that Mr. Houze is doing well with the Franklin Automobile Factory at Rochester. He was formerly employed at the Goodyear Company at different times.

J. W. Unsworth, who has been living with his son, Bob, the past three years, leaves for Washington, D. C., soon to attend the N. A. D. convention, and spend the winter in Washington with his daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Irvin are on a month's vacation to Texas. They are driving their Chevrolet Sedan on their trip.

J. H. Fleming's children have gone to Kentucky to spend the summer with grandparents in the Blue Grass State.

The joint picnic staged by the Akron Advanced Society of the Deaf, the Akron Silent Pennsylvania Club, and the Cleveland Silent Auto Club, was pulled off successfully at Springfield Lake, on July 11th. It is estimated that a crowd of nearly 300 silents were present, many coming a long distance. The baseball game between for some reason, and a picked team the deaf Detroit team was cancelled was substituted to play against the Akron team, the latter coming out a winner with a 5 to 2 score. There were a number of good games pulled off, with attractive prizes. The picnic was

managed by P. D. Munger and Wm. Meade, of Cleveland; D. C. Williams, K. B. Ayers, Frank Bauer, Wm. Williams, and J. Cherrington, of Akron.

I. X. Zitnik, Chairman of the Akron Division, No. 55, Picnic has appointed four able helpers in arranging the program of games at their annual picnic to be held at Springfield Lake on August 8th. They are J. O. Hamersly, V. L. Butterbaugh, Chas. Brown, and L. Davis. Bill Pfunder has been appointed to the bartender job of handing out free lemonade at the noon lunch time. Very liberal money in prizes will be given for 15 games to be pulled off at the picnic. A real baseball game between Akron Division No. 55 and Cleveland Division No. 21 will be pulled off in morning. Excitement will be running high, as both teams have been practicing hard the past two weeks.

Miss Laura York has returned to her work at the Goodyear Co., after three weeks' of vacation, seeing her mother at Old Fort, N. C. She reports that her mother is improved.

A. Belvins is building a new house on Shaw Street, just outside Goodyear Heights.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Barron are still vacationing out in the Blue State. We are wondering, if he has succeeded breaking into some of those old distilleries and has gone to "steep."

Mr. and Mrs. Riley, of British Columbia, Canada, spent two weeks with the Butterbaughs, on Preston Avenue, and also on the local picnic and sightseeing trips through local rubber factories. Mr. Riley is employed in the Canadian postal service.

Orville Olinger and John Snyder, who have been working for Von & Gerken Tire Shop at Altoona, Pa., have rented a shop at Cass and River Street, and will start their own auto upholstering business on August 1st. We wish them success.

Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Butterbaugh took Mrs. J. T. Hower and Miss Laura York on a fishing trip to Pippin Lake, but the best they could do was to catch a tiny perch.

Mrs. Myrtle Spagg has gone to her home in Mississippi for the summer.

Miss Jessie Inman is now located in Detroit, Michigan, having secured a job there.

Ye writer and wife returned from a three-week vacation trip to Memphis, Tenn., and Woodland, Miss. While enroute from Memphis to Woodland over a dirt road, they ran into a heavy rain storm, and were having a time getting over these Mississippi clay roads, slipping twice into a ditch, but stopped in time each time, so we did not get upset. For a few days, 98 to 100 degrees weather cheered us, then lots of rain. Returned to Memphis in time to see their July 4th and 5th picnic in Overton Park, which was largely attended by the deaf of Tennessee, Mississippi and Akron. Mr. and Mrs. Tripp, of the Michigan School for the Deaf, were among the crowd. They were stopping there on their vacation tour of Southern States in their Dodge Bros. Sedan.

I. X. Zitnik spent his two weeks vacation attending the National Catholic Convention in Boston, Mass., stopping a few days in Old New York City on the way back home.

J. O. HAMERSLY.

## GALLAUDET HOME

For me to sit here all this afternoon, on this ninth day of July, and write this message, is no fun, for the heat is intense. The temperature up here in my room is up at the 90th degree, and as the afternoon wears on, I expect it to go higher up. It is not for the wings of a gentle and a grateful breeze that come from the south, and is constantly fanning and cooling me, I would be unable to sit here at my typewriter five minutes.

Founders Day occurred a month ago, on the fifth of June, and although it was by no means what one might regard as a real June day, it was an ideal occasion. Nearly a hundred visitors were here on that memorable occasion to commemorate the one hundred and fourth anniversary of the birth of Rev. Thomas Gallaudet, the founder of this institution. All the visitors seemed very enthusiastic. All seemed to be delighted to be here and to meet and talk with one another, and to meet and greet the people who live here. Many of the visitors had been here once or twice before; many more had never before been here. Although their stay here was for but a few hours, they all enjoyed their visit immensely. Rev. Gilbert Braddock's mother was one of the many visitors. Hardly anybody supposed she was really Gilbert's mother, she was so young in appearance. Many mistook her for his sister. Another visitor that attracted no little attention was Miss Virginia B. Gallaudet, who was stricken partly blind a couple of years ago. This remarkable lady is loved and respected by all deaf-mutes.

Her sister, Elizabeth, came with her. Both sisters use the language of signs as well as do the deaf. The addresses delivered in the chapel by a couple of hearing preachers were translated in signs by Miss V. B. Gallaudet. About

half of the visitors came here by train, the other half made the trip in a mammoth bus.

At half past five o'clock, on the morning of Founder's Day, an event happened. It was that Mrs. May Newell Nelson, who was over eighty years of age, and had been confined to her bed for three years and nine months, passed quietly away. Her funeral took place on the eighth of June, and her remains were shipped to Boston for interment.

Surely the memory of Rev. Thomas Gallaudet is respected by all deaf-mutes in Europe as in America. Surely his good work is known all over the world or wherever there are schools for the education of the deaf and dumb! This grateful refuge is a memorial to him; it is indeed his monument. As many deaf people come here on Founder's Day as can get here. Were this place right near the metropolis, a few thousand deaf-mutes instead of a few dozen or a hundred would surely make it a call on the birthday of its founder.

On the morning of June 23d, Mrs. Catherine Leary, who has been living here for the past three years, and eight months, left here for Byron, N. Y., where she will remain with her sister for the summer.

Late in the afternoon of the June 27th, Walter Browning Peet, M. D., son of the late Dr. I. L. Peet, was here for about an hour. He had never been here before. With him was Mr. Hinkley, a prominent citizen of Poughkeepsie and an old friend of his. When he was a very young man, Dr. W. B. Peet was known all over Washington Heights as a dog doctor. He usually kept a large number of dogs and made a study of them. Later he was widely known as an oarsman. For some length of time, he was coach for the Columbia crew. In fact, he was an all-around sporting man. A month ago he lost his wife and so he is a sad man. He thought this institution a wonderful place. As soon as he was back in Poughkeepsie, he sent the matron, Miss Martin, a bucket of ice cream and cake for our supper, and we enjoyed the treat.

For some years, while his father was its Principal, Dr. W. B. Peet, was a teacher at old Fanwood.

Late in June, Kaple Greenberg, who lives in Newburgh, N. Y., and who graduated from Fanwood last June, wrote to a friend living in Poughkeepsie, and told him to ask Willie Wyatt, who is also a resident of that town, if he, Wyatt, would go with him to the Gallaudet Home on Sunday, the Fourth of July. Willie, who had been here twice and knew the place well, consented to come here with Kaple. They arrived here in the early part of the afternoon. With them came Natalie Cerniglia, who also left school last June. After showing three youths around, this scribe took them down to the old farmhouse, where they met Samuel Gardner, who talked with them for a minute. The youths were much interested in the home and its inmates. In September, Mr. Greenberg is going to Gallaudet College.

Miss Julia Gardner, Samuel Gardner's only sister, leaves for Palermo, Sicily, on the 10th of August and returns to America on the tenth of October. Her going abroad is simply for the trip. She is librarian for a branch of one of New York's public libraries. She can talk on her fingers and is acquainted with many deaf people. She is up here quite often to visit her brother.

About a decade ago this Home had a collie dog, whose name was Buster. He, who was loved by all the folks, died, and so Mrs. K. M. Jones got another collie that she named Laddie. As she had purchased him he was certainly her own property. Five years ago, when Laddie was about three years of age, he bit the late Bill Conzelman who stepped on his foot, and so Laddie was given, we suppose, to Miss Young, who is a lady manager of the Home, and so for the past five years this place has been without a dog. A home in the country never seems to be complete without a dog. A couple of months ago, Miss Young gave the Home a dog. He is now about three months old. I am told Laddie is his father. This new dog is also named Laddie, and like his father he is a great playmate. Miss Young wants to learn the sign language. Occasionally she comes here for me to teach her.

STANLEY.

### ON TO WASHINGTON.

113 Henderson Street,  
MARIETTA, GA., July 18, 1926.

DEAR EDITOR:—Will you be kind enough to print in your good paper that our special Pullman Car on Southern Railway, No. 40, will leave Atlanta Sunday, August 8th, at 11:55 A.M., for the N. A. D. Convention at Washington, D. C.?

Our train will pass through as follows:

Lv. Atlanta 11:55 A.M., Central Time.  
Lv. Greenville, S. C. 5:25 P.M., Eastern T.  
Lv. Charlotte, N. C. 8:35 P.M., Eastern T.  
Lv. Lynchboro, N. C. 11:50 P.M., E. T.  
Lv. Greensboro, Va. 3:10 A.M., Eastern T. next day.  
Lv. Charlottesville, Va. 5:15 A



# AS TO PROXY VOTING.

I have read with interest the article by Mr. J. C. Howard, in a recent number of the JOURNAL, wherein he supports Proxy Voting. I have not read the proposed new law governing proxy voting, can not speak as to its merits. I shall confine myself to the discussion of Proxy Voting.

Mr. Howard says he can not understand the opposition to proxy voting, and goes on to say that proxy voting gives the ballot to every member. I beg to say that it does nothing of the kind. It merely gives additional power to a few. Suppose now that I give my vote to some man who is to attend the convention. This man may be honest and all that, but I do not know what may be coming up at the convention and can not be there to see the discussion, my proxy holder don't know how I stand on these questions before the house, hence he may cast my vote exactly the opposite what I would vote I there. Again he may unwittingly vote for my worst enemy for office. Is all this giving me the ballot? Proxy voting is worse than useless. I have never heard the rank and file clamoring for proxy voting. The demand comes from some leaders, who know they can secure some proxy votes and thus wield additional power. Kaiserism!

Mr. Howard worries about the sectional vote of those who are present and see the discussions and have a chance to weigh the question. Such a vote is more valuable than that of those who are hundreds of miles away and know nothing of what is being done.

Proxy voting opens the way for a vast amount of crooked work, should unscrupulous persons secure enough proxy votes.

Again when a proxy law is once passed it may be hard to get rid of on account of those same proxy votes. Look at Atlanta where an attempt was made to do away with it, but those present found that proxy holders had them by the throat.

Some method to give each member the voting power is very desirable, but that has not been discovered and probably will not be until the radio or something similar makes it possible for each one to enjoy the doings from his own home.

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## NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF THE DEAF CONVENTION.

Fifteenth Triennial Convention of the Deaf, Washington—August 9th to 14th, 1926—Come!

Headquarters—The New Willard Hotel

### PROGRAM

Monday, August 9th.  
3 P.M. Opening session in Ball Room of New Willard

1. Invocation.
2. Recitation: "The Star Spangled Banner," by Mrs. Anna McGinn, Ill. (Signs, vocal, instrumental)
3. Convention Prelude, by Dr. Thomas F. Fox, New York.
4. Addresses of Welcome: Mr. W. E. Marshall, Chairman of Local Committee, Ohio; Mr. Percival Hall, President of Gallaudet College.
5. Responses for the Association: Rev. H. L. Tracy, Miss; Miss Cloa G. Lamson, Ohio; Mr. Michael Lapidus, Ct.
6. Announcements.
7. Reception and Ball.

Tuesday, August 10th.  
9 A.M. in New Willard

1. Invocation.
2. Recitation: "America," by Mrs. R. L. Cave, South Carolina.
3. Reading of Call for Fifteenth Convention of the Association.
4. Communications.
5. President's Address.
6. Officers' Reports: President, Secretary-Treasurer, State Organizers.
7. Committee Reports: National Executive Board, Local Committee, Program, Printing and Publicity, Trustees of Endowment Fund.
8. Paper: "A Deaf Man's View of the Trend of Education for the Deaf," by Mr. F. H. Hughes, District of Columbia.
9. Discussion.
10. New Business.
11. Announcements.

Sightseeing tour of the city, with stops at the White House and Lincoln Memorial. Lincoln's Gettysburg Address will be delivered in signs from the steps of the Memorial by Rev. F. C. Smielau, Pa.

Wednesday, August 11th.  
9 A.M. in New Willard

1. Invocation.
2. Recitation: "Coming Thru the Rye," by Miss Audie Rogers, District of Columbia.
3. Unfinished Business.
4. Communications.
5. Addresses.
6. Committee Reports: De l'Epee Memorial Fund, Preliminary Education Legislation, Foreign Co-operation, Industrial Bureau, Civil Service Bureau.
7. Paper: "An Anthology of the Deaf," by Rev. J. H. Koehler, Pa.
8. Discussion.
9. New Business.
10. Announcements.

Visit to the home of George Washington at Mt. Vernon. (Boat, trolley, bus.)

Thursday, August 12th.  
9:30 A.M. in Chapel of Gallaudet College.

1. Invocation.
2. Recitation: "The Hall of Gallaudet," by Miss Velma S. Brassell, Louisiana.
3. Unfinished Business.
4. Address by Dr. Percival Hall, President of Gallaudet College.
5. Committee Reports: Motion Picture Fund, Gallaudet Monument Replica Fund, Impostor Bureau, Traffic Bureau.
6. Paper: "The British Deaf," by Rev. J. H. Kent, New York.
7. Discussion.
8. New Business.
9. Announcements.

Afternoon.  
An out-door luncheon will be served on Kendall Green, and the afternoon will be given over to sports on Hotchkiss Field and to an inspection of the College buildings and grounds.

Friday, August 13th.  
9 A.M. in New Willard.

1. Invocation.
2. Unfinished Business.
3. Communications.
4. Paper: "The Deaf and the Industrial Situation," by Mr. Marcus Kenner, New York.
5. Discussion.
6. Committee Reports: Statistics, Laws, Enrollment, Auditing, Necrology.
7. Paper: "State Homes—Everybody's Concern," by
8. Discussion.
9. New Business.
10. Announcements.

Visit by bus to Arlington National Cemetery and grave of the Unknown Soldier. "In Flanders Fields," will be given in signs by Mrs. F. A. Moore, New Jersey.

8 P.M.  
National Fraternal Society Conclave in City Club. National O. W. L. S. meeting. Social gathering in Northeast Masonic Temple.

- Saturday, August 14th.  
9 A.M. Closing session in New Willard.
1. Invocation.
  2. Unfinished Business.
  3. Communications.
  4. Committee Reports: Resolutions.
  5. Election of New Officers.
  6. New Business.
  7. Announcements.
  8. Recitation: "Home, Sweet Home," by Miss Doris Ballance, New York.
  9. Ajourment sine die, with Benediction.

Excursion by train to Chesapeake Bay or by trolley to the Great Falls of the Potomac. On Saturday, August 14th, the Maryland Alumni Ass'n will hold a picnic at Druid Hill, Baltimore, and the Baltimore Frats will have their Annual Outing at Fairview Beach on Sunday, August 15th. All who find it convenient to attend these outings are extended a cordial invitation. Church Services by the various denominations will be announced in due time for August 8th and 15th.

The Gallaudet College Alumni Association will meet in the Chapel of Gallaudet College at 9 A.M. on Monday, August 9th, and at 2 P.M. Thursday, August 12th, at the same place.

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## FORTIETH ANNUAL MEETING, AND FORTY-FIFTH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION

Of the Pennsylvania Society for the Advancement of the Deaf.

The Fortieth Annual Meeting of the Pennsylvania Society for the Advancement of the Deaf will be held in the Chapel of Wisconsin Hall, Pennsylvania Institution for the Deaf, Mt. Airy, Philadelphia, Pa., on August 6th, 7th, and 8th, 1926, for the purpose of hearing reports, for the election of four Managers to serve three years in place of the retiring Managers whose terms will expire at this meeting—viz. John A. Roach, William H. Lipsitt, Henry Barden, and Dora M. Heim, and for the transaction of such other business as may come before the Society.

By order of the President.  
WARREN M. SMALTZ,  
Secretary.

May 14th, 1926.  
CONVENTION PROGRAM  
OPENING MEETING, FRIDAY, AUGUST 6TH, 1926, AT 8:00 P.M.

Invocation.  
Address of Welcome—Mr. Joseph H. Burroughs, President of the Pennsylvania Institution for the Deaf.  
Address—Mr. Elbert A. Gruver, Superintendent of the Pennsylvania Institution for the Deaf.  
Response to both Addresses.  
President's Annual Address—Mr. Franklin G. Smielau.  
Call for the meeting.  
Annual Report of the Board of Managers.  
Annual Report of the Board of Trustees.  
Appointment of Committee.  
BUSINESS MEETING, SATURDAY, AUGUST 7TH, 1926, AT 9:00 A.M.  
Call to order.  
Reading of the Minutes.  
Treasurer's Report.  
Report of Committee on Nominations.  
Election of Four Managers.  
Recess for Reorganization of the Board.  
Announcement of Reorganization.  
Unfinished Business.  
New Business.  
Report of Committee on Resolutions.  
Adjournment.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 7TH, 1926, AT 2:00 P.M.  
Trip to the Sesqui-Centennial Exposition.  
SATURDAY, AUGUST 7TH, 1926, AT 8:00 P.M.  
Celebration of the Society's Forty-fifth Anniversary.  
Oration—Mr. G. M. Teegarden.  
Reception and Dance.  
SUNDAY, AUGUST 8TH, 1926, AT 2:00 P.M.  
Motor bus trip to the new Home at Torreadale.  
SUNDAY, AUGUST 8TH, 1926, AT 7:45 P.M.  
Preaching Service at All Souls' Church for the Deaf, 16th Street above Allegheny Avenue, Philadelphia. All visiting clergy will officiate, and the public is cordially invited to attend.  
MONDAY MORNING, AUGUST 9TH 1926.  
End of the Convention.

GENERAL INFORMATION.  
Board and Lodging during the period of the Convention can be obtained by Members and invited guests only at the Institution.  
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The price of a Season Ticket is ten dollars, which includes membership dues, souvenir of the Convention etc., as well as Board and Lodging. Members are advised to purchase season tickets, as individual rates are proportionately higher.  
Every assistance will be given visitors to the Convention who, at its close, intend to visit the N. A. D. Convention at Washington, starting August 9th. But a written request for reservations will be required, and will be filled in the order received. Inasmuch as this Convention will be unusually well attended, persons desiring accommodations should act at once.  
By order of the Committee on Arrangements.  
WARREN M. SMALTZ,  
Chairman.

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